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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)

Applicant(s): Casellini et al.

Docket No.

BST-20302/38

Application No. 10/680,747	Filing Date October 7, 2003	Examiner Lloyd A. Gall	Customer No. 25006	Group Art Unit 3676	Confirmation No. 5365
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Invention: **OPEN KEY COVER FOR A SHARED KEY**COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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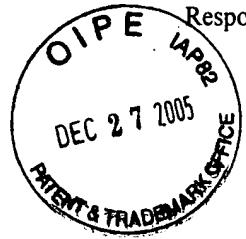
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 27 September 2005, please amend the above-referenced application as follows: